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- 2 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Good afternoon. And welcome
- 3 to the Budget and Administration Committee Meeting, for
- 4 Wednesday, May the 8th.
- 5 To my right is Board Member Michael Paparian.
- 6 Do you have any ex partes at this time?
- 7 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: None to report.
- 8 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And I have none to report at
- 9 this time.
- 10 So we'll start with the Deputy Director's report.
- 11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Yes. Thank you.
- 12 Terry Jordan, for the record, the Administration
- 13 and Finance Division.
- Good afternoon, Committee Members, Chair.
- 15 I'd like to raise that because of time
- 16 constraints and the fact that the staff, Becky Williams
- 17 representing Trish Broddrick for Items E and F, need to
- 18 leave to catch a plane. If we could take that out of
- 19 order before Item B, that would be helpful.
- 20 Moving on. At this morning's Board agenda
- 21 briefing, Chair Moulton-Patterson raised the issue of
- 22 changing the Committee meeting with the agenda briefing.
- 23 What we were talking about is looking at having the
- 24 Committee -- this Committee's meeting at possibly 9:00
- 25 a.m. on Wednesday mornings and then the agenda briefing to

- 1 follow that.
- 2 And she was more concerned about timing. So I
- 3 thought that I would pose that to you, and maybe we could
- 4 lock that down and get it scheduled for the next Committee
- 5 meeting.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Well, that makes more sense
- 7 for us to meet before the briefing along with the
- 8 Committees.
- 9 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Certainly. Okay.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Board Member Paparian?
- 11 BOARD MEMBER PAPARIAN: Sounds good. Fine with
- 12 me.
- 13 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Thank you.
- I just wanted to raise to the members that you
- 15 received a letter on April 30th from me with regards to
- 16 the 2001-2 fiscal year -- year-end closing events. There
- 17 are activities that are occurring. We're already
- 18 preparing for year-end closing, which we have to get ready
- 19 with regards to all the reports that have to be done to
- 20 Close our fiscal year, report to the State Controller's
- 21 office, to Department of Finance, and what we call our
- 22 year-end accounting statements.
- 23 With regards to that, there are certain
- 24 activities that the entire board needs to consider with
- 25 regards to submission of invoices, timing, et cetera. And

1 so I won't go into a lot of detail, but I just wanted to

- 2 throw that out there and remind you with regards to that
- 3 memo. And certainly we will keep you abreast of any
- 4 changes or any needs that we have with regards to the
- 5 year-end closing process.
- 6 This afternoon -- and, in fact, this was raised
- 7 this morning in the agenda briefing. This afternoon our
- 8 Executive Director sent an E-mail letter to the Board
- 9 members and to the executive staff with regards to an
- 10 update on the Board's funds -- fund conditions and the
- 11 general fund loans that are impacting them currently.
- 12 And, secondly, a recommended waiver of distributing a
- 13 Fiscal Year 2003&4 BCP solicitation letter.
- 14 Without going into too much detail right now --
- 15 and we will be available to answer questions after you've
- 16 had an opportunity to read the letter. We are
- 17 currently -- our funds are currently being utilized by the
- 18 State Controller's office to help with a cash-flow problem
- 19 with the general fund.
- 20 And, at this point in time, it is impacting the
- 21 majority of our funds, the most significant being the
- 22 Integrated Waste Management Account of \$5.1 million. So
- 23 I'd be happy to talk with you all after you have an
- 24 opportunity to read the letter.
- 25 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Thank you.

1 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: The executive office --

- 2 just as a note, the executive office is currently
- 3 conducting legislative director interviews, and we're
- 4 fairly well into the process.
- 5 In addition, today there are two legislative
- 6 hearings being held with regards to the budget for Fiscal
- 7 Year 2002&3. The first one occurred at 8:00 o'clock this
- 8 morning with the Assembly Subcommittee Number 3.
- 9 Chairwoman Pavley is in charge of that one. We had no
- 10 issues with that particular subcommittee; therefore, we
- 11 did not have to be involved.
- 12 However, on the Senate Subcommittee Number 2,
- 13 which is going to be happening this afternoon around 3:00
- 14 o'clock, we are on the agenda. They had some questions
- 15 with regards to the conversion technologies augmentation
- 16 that we were seeking. And we are prepared to be able to
- 17 respond to that.
- 18 Therefore, we will -- if this meeting is not over
- 19 with, Mark and I will to have to excuse ourselves to
- 20 attend that meeting.
- 21 Just as a heads up, the Governor's May revise
- 22 will be coming out. It's supposed to be released next
- 23 week. And obviously it's going to the Legislature. But
- 24 it will likely unveil some new direction for meeting the
- 25 \$20 billion deficit within the State right now.

1 And we currently are not aware of any impact on

- 2 this Board, with the exception of the current loans that
- 3 are happening.
- 4 And just to give you kind of a notification of
- 5 some future items that will be coming to the Committee and
- 6 to the Board in June, we're looking at having three items
- 7 scheduled with regards to grants for the June meeting.
- 8 And that includes a history and overview of the Waste
- 9 Board's grant programs, a consideration of options for
- 10 refining the grant scoring criteria and evaluation
- 11 process, and a discussion of a particular grant's issue
- 12 and some options for addressing procedurally how to look
- 13 at that. And it's also related to the Assembly Budget
- 14 Subcommittee Number 3 requirement of a supplemental report
- 15 on December 1st, 2002. So we'll be bringing those
- 16 forward.
- 17 And with that, that completes my report.
- 18 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Thank you.
- 19 Mr. Chair, if it's all right?
- 20 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes.
- 21 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: The very last point
- 22 you made, a grant's issue, somehow related to the
- 23 legislative requests. What is the issue?
- 24 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: It's procedurally
- 25 looking at the current practice of requiring permits or a

- 1 self-certification of permits.
- 2 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. Thank you.
- 3 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Does that conclude your
- 4 report?
- 5 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: That concludes my
- 6 report. Thank you.
- 7 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Thank you for your report.
- 8 Before we proceed on to the next items, I just
- 9 wanted to make an announcement to turn off any pagers or
- 10 cell phones that you might have. And also for those
- 11 persons that wish to speak, we have speaker slips over on
- 12 this -- on the back of the room. So if you wish to speak,
- 13 please fill out the speaker slips and hand them in.
- 14 With that, we will take Items E and F out of
- 15 order. Item G has been pulled.
- So if we could have Item E, please.
- 17 MS. WILLIAMS: Good afternoon. Thank you for
- 18 taking these items out of order.
- 19 My name is Becky Williams and I work at the
- 20 Office of Integrated Education. And I'm here today to
- 21 discuss with you Items E and F on the agenda.
- 22 At the April Board meeting the Board approved
- 23 Contract Concept 71, to conduct an assessment project that
- 24 is related to the unified education strategy, which is
- 25 being developed pursuant to SB 373, as well as a grant

- 1 program that is tied to that legislation as well.
- We have now created a scope of work, and we're
- 3 bringing it forward for your approval, as well as a
- 4 recommendation for a contractor to receive the contract to
- 5 execute the project for the assessment.
- 6 And basically the assessment project is intended
- 7 to use proven evaluation methods that will assist us to
- 8 measure the impact of our services and our products on the
- 9 audiences that we serve. But another important objective
- 10 that we're going to try and achieve is to assess the
- 11 impact a school can have on its environmental management
- 12 systems, such as its recycling programs, composting
- 13 programs, and energy efficiency programs.
- 14 So out of this evaluation project, we hope to
- 15 generate critical information that will be used to report
- 16 to the Board as well as to the Legislature, which is
- 17 required by SB 373 in 2004.
- 18 And due to the extensive knowledge and background
- 19 of the contractor that we're recommending -- that would be
- 20 the State Education and Environmental Round Table -- we
- 21 are seeking to sole-source this contract, which will help
- 22 to expedite the processing of the contract and to meet
- 23 fiscal deadlines that I've been told that we're under in
- 24 terms of funding for this contract.
- 25 The first agenda item for the scope of work --

1 it's pretty straightforward. It's got about six tasks

- 2 involved within the scope, starting with meeting with
- 3 Board staff as well as the other consultants working on
- 4 the Unified Education Strategy Project; i.e., The ACORN
- 5 Group. We're going to research methodologies and choose
- 6 the best ones that fit with this project. The contractor
- 7 will create a detailed action plan, implement that action
- 8 plan, and conduct follow-through and follow-up in order to
- 9 get all the information that we need to then compile the
- 10 reports.
- 11 The project timeframe would hopefully begin July
- 12 1, and would carry through to June 2004, in time for us to
- 13 use the data for the reporting requirements pursuant to SB
- 14 373.
- 15 So the scope is again pretty basic and fairly
- 16 generic; but that is because this is so tied to the
- 17 unified education strategy and the grant program that we
- 18 are currently developing, that we need to work in close
- 19 coordination with those projects in order to develop the
- 20 specific details of the evaluation component.
- Do you have any questions on the scope?
- 22 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Board Member Paparian, any
- 23 questions?
- 24 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Actually, I'll just
- 25 mention that I'm happy to see this item, that the staff is

1 doing this sort of evaluation and being proactive about

- 2 it.
- 3 As part of our strategic plan, I think we looked
- 4 at doing these sorts of valuations. And, again, the fact
- 5 that staff is being proactive and going forward with this
- 6 I think is very good.
- 7 So I'd like to move -- I guess we should do it
- 8 one at a time. I'd like to move positive consideration of
- 9 Resolution 2002-272. And I think that would be an
- 10 appropriate item for the consent agenda as well.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: I will second that.
- 12 And we'll take a roll call vote on this.
- 13 SECRETARY SINGH: Moulton-Patterson?
- 14 Paparian?
- 15 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Aye.
- 16 SECRETARY SINGH: Medina?
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Aye.
- 18 Okay. The resolution passes.
- 19 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: And then we have --
- 20 the next one would be 2002-271.
- 21 Would that be appropriate for consent as well?
- 22 Any Problem?
- 23 So I'd like to move positive consideration of
- 24 Resolution 2002-271 and recommend that for consent as
- 25 well.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And I second that.
- We'll substitute the previous roll call vote on
- 3 this one. Thank you.
- 4 Thank you, Ms. Williams, for your presentation.
- 5 MS. WILLIAMS: Thank you.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: With that, we'll go to the
- 7 beginning of the agenda.
- 8 And that will be "B" on the agenda and agenda
- 9 Item 17, for board purposes.
- 10 So, Ms. Gildart, if you would proceed, please.
- 11 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 12 Thank you, Chairman.
- 13 I'm Martha Gildart with the Special Waste
- 14 Division.
- This item lays out the dollars available in the
- 16 Waste Tire Management Fund that could be reallocated this
- 17 year to fully expend the fund.
- 18 If you would look at the handout that was just
- 19 given you, I've prepared a status report that I'm going to
- 20 go over very briefly to describe some of the projects that
- 21 were undertaken this year.
- 22 The longer table, it says "Status Report on the
- 23 5-year Plan for the Waste Tire Recycling Management
- 24 Program."
- 25 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: The handout is on its way.

- 1 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 2 What we've done here is just try to follow the
- 3 order of projects as listed in the 5-year plan and show
- 4 what was accomplished on each of those.
- 5 For example, the first entry is under the
- 6 Enforcement Grant Program, where \$2 million had been
- 7 allocated. We have completed two cycles. In October, the
- 8 Board approved the award of six grants for a total of over
- 9 \$600,000; and then on the agenda for next week are two
- 10 additional grants for \$86,000.
- So we've gone through the 5-year plan listing
- 12 them. I'd like you to note that under the remediation
- 13 category, you will see some words in italic font, "The
- 14 Department of Toxic Substances Control and Regional Water
- 15 Quality Control Board." Those interagency agreements were
- 16 not part of the original 5-year plan and are being funded
- 17 from the reallocation dollars available. But because the
- 18 Board has already encumbered those monies, they are
- 19 automatically directed to those uses.
- On that same page you'll notice there are two
- 21 projects in red, as well as on the back of that page there
- 22 are two additional projects in red. Those are the only
- 23 four projects that we were unable to undertake this fiscal
- 24 year. And those are part of the monies that are available
- 25 now for the Board's consideration as reallocation.

1 That mathematics, if you would, is captured on

- 2 Table 1, which is Attachment 1 to your item. And this is
- 3 an abbreviated list because it's showing only those
- 4 projects from which there are funds available for
- 5 reallocation. Once again, it shows what was allocated in
- 6 the 5-year plan, what has been encumbered to date, and the
- 7 balance in those activities.
- 8 As you can see on the back, the second page of
- 9 the table, there's a little over \$2 million available.
- 10 If you have any questions about where any of
- 11 those funds came from, I can answer them now. And then we
- 12 can go on to a discussion of possible reuses for the
- 13 reallocated money.
- 14 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: I have a question in regard
- 15 to the total. The total is \$2,011,819 rather than
- 16 \$2,029,069?
- 17 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 18 Okay. What we have is the \$2,029,524 as
- 19 available, on -- shown on Table 1.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes.
- 21 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Mr. Chairman, I'm
- 22 sorry. I'm not sure which chart to work from, because the
- 23 chart I have does show it, \$2,011,000 that Mr. Medina just
- 24 mentioned.
- 25 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:

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- 2 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: I was handed a
- 3 revised Table 2 --
- 4 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 5 That is for the uses of the dollars. That's not
- 6 available dollars. We haven't gotten to that table yet.
- 7 We're dealing -- the Table 1, Attachment 1 in the packet
- 8 shows what's available. And that comes to the \$2,029,524.
- 9 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. That has not
- 10 changed?
- 11 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 12 That has not changed. I was merely trying --
- 13 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: So when you say the uses of
- 14 the money, that's the way that the monies are being
- 15 proposed to be spent --
- 16 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 17 Yeah, the recommended uses --
- 18 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And the other is the
- 19 available --
- 20 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 21 Exactly.
- 22 There were two charts handed out. Now, one is
- 23 not in your packets. It's not a revision. It's new
- 24 information, because we'd had questions about activities
- 25 we had not shown on Table 1 that was in the packet. They

1 wanted to know what had happened to some of the projects

- 2 that were successfully completed. So the handout shows
- 3 all activities and their funding and what has been done.
- 4 Table 1, as Attachment 1, shows only those activities from
- 5 which there are funds available, pretty much. So it's
- 6 just a little more description.
- 7 Table 2, which we've handed out as a revision, is
- 8 the recommendation from the staff on how to use those
- 9 available dollars.
- But this is what is open for discussion.
- 11 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Could I ask a couple
- 12 questions about Table 1, just as --
- 13 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Certainly. Go ahead.
- 14 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: The signage for
- 15 CalTrans rec projects that didn't go forward, was CalTrans
- 16 approached on this about whether they would be willing to
- 17 do that and --
- 18 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 19 We've been having discussions with them, yes. It
- 20 is more difficult than we had anticipated when this
- 21 project was proposed on the 5-year plan. They have some
- 22 very strict specifications on how signs should be made and
- 23 what they should look like and where they go and when they
- 24 go in. And we've not reached an agreement yet.
- 25 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. So unlikely

- 1 you could do so this fiscal year, I take it.
- 2 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 3 Correct.
- 4 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Is your expectation
- 5 then in a future fiscal year we would come back and have
- 6 some amount of money in this magnitude?
- 7 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 8 We can continue to pursue that, yes.
- 9 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: And then following up
- 10 on the discussion from this morning, I had heard that
- 11 there was talk of another million dollars somewhere at the
- 12 Committee meeting on Monday. And I just want to be clear,
- 13 was there a discussion along those lines? I heard that
- 14 Mr. Eaton in bringing things up somehow brought up that
- 15 there was an additional million.
- 16 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 17 The only million I'm aware of is the emergency
- 18 reserve account, which is not a C&P line item. It is not
- 19 available for reallocation if our interpretation is
- 20 correct.
- 21 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Yes. I was at that
- 22 meeting and -- excuse me. Terry Jordan. And I'm not
- 23 aware of a million dollars that's available. The
- 24 emergency reserve account is not within the C&P
- 25 allocation. It is within our expenditure authority.

- 1 However, it is there specifically in case of a fire or
- 2 some other catastrophic event; and is not appropriate to
- 3 use it until they complete closure of the year. It does
- 4 roll forward into the reserve.
- 5 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. And then in
- 6 terms of the total tire account, any guess as to how much
- 7 money will be unallocated at the end of this year?
- 8 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Excuse us just one
- 9 second.
- 10 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yes.
- 11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: As Martha had mentioned
- 12 this morning in the agenda briefing, from our review of
- 13 all the dollars that have been expended, what's proposed
- 14 in the reallocation item, there is no available funding
- 15 past the emergency reserve of a million dollars.
- 16 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: By available funding,
- 17 you mean available for C&P, right, or do you mean total?
- 18 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 19 Maybe what's a little uncertain here is the
- 20 difference between the authorization that this agency was
- 21 granted through the Budget Act versus how many dollars
- 22 have accumulated in the fund since the SB 876 fee came
- 23 into existence. Our authorization only started in July.
- 24 We were approved to spend the roughly \$30 million that
- 25 were available from the fee as it was deposited from July

- 1 to this June. Because the fee came into effect last
- 2 January, there's about six months of the fee being paid
- 3 into the fund that was not part of the appropriation that
- 4 the Budget Act authorized us to expend.
- 5 I, at one time, saw something that led me to
- 6 believe that might have been as much as \$12 million, but I
- 7 have no real certainty on that figure. I suppose we could
- 8 get you an accounting of that, but we're not able to spend
- 9 that.
- 10 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Let me try to clarify.
- 11 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Let me -- maybe if I
- 12 ask the question a little bit differently.
- 13 If you looked at all the income to the tire fund
- 14 in the current fiscal year, and you subtracted out all the
- 15 expenditures from the current fiscal year, would there be
- 16 a balance of more than a million dollars?
- 17 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 18 Yes.
- 19 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: And about how much
- 20 are we talking? Are we talking close to a million dollars
- 21 or --
- 22 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Well, the way that it's
- 23 accounted for is that you -- the monies in the fund,
- 24 including the revenues coming in -- there is a reserve,
- 25 and that's based on the first six months of the fee that

1 went into effect. That reserve was approximately -- close

- 2 to \$12 million. That rolls forward for this fiscal year.
- 3 However, we only have expenditure authority for
- 4 this year. So there's still a reserve that's beyond what
- 5 we have authority to spend. And if I'm not mistake, our
- 6 expenditure authority is around 31 million. What we're
- 7 saying is that the only monies left of the 31 million that
- 8 we had expenditure authority for is the 1 million reserve,
- 9 assuming that this reallocation item moves forward and
- 10 some salary savings are not to be used for operating
- 11 expenses due to vacancy issues.
- Beyond that, we've done a thorough accounting of
- 13 it, and they're done -- the tire program has done an
- 14 excellent job of moving the monies in the way that the
- 15 5-year plan has indicated.
- 16 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. So --
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: So that \$1 million, can that
- 18 be added to the \$2 million that is before us today?
- 19 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Well, we've advised the
- 20 program is that it should not. The reason being, it's
- 21 very specific with what the expenditure authorization is
- 22 for. And that is -- the \$1 million reserve is
- 23 specifically for emergencies. Granted, we're already in
- 24 May. But if the fire were to occur in June, or something
- 25 else that required our emergency response and the use of

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1 those funds, then we would not have them available. We
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- 2 would have locked them up into either grants or contracts.
- 3 At that point, it becomes very difficult to go
- 4 back to the administration and say, "Well, we spent it
- 5 all. Yes, we did have a million dollar reserve, but we no
- 6 longer do because we spent it for other things." And so
- 7 it becomes very tedious and very difficult and is not
- 8 looked upon lightly with regards to trying to dip into the
- 9 remainder of our reserve, which is obviously sufficient.
- 10 But that's why they asked us to set aside the \$1 million
- 11 reserve that is currently in this fiscal year.
- 12 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: So you couldn't take
- 13 the salary savings that you talked about and apply that to
- 14 the reserve?
- 15 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Apply it to the reserve
- 16 or to the C&P --
- 17 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: If we were to use
- 18 some of the reserve for other purposes, could you backfill
- 19 the reserve with salary savings?
- 20 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: No, no.
- 21 Within the bottom line of the expenditure
- 22 authority the salary savings are being very closely
- 23 watched. There has been a vacancy issue that the
- 24 Legislature has been addressing for at least two years
- 25 now. And they're very adamant that there's a shell game

1 going on. So we do not spend those salary-savings dollars

- 2 on operating expenses, which is what you're asking us to
- 3 do or talking about doing.
- 4 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yeah. Now, together
- 5 with the salary, there's also overhead associated with the
- 6 salaries, right?
- 7 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Correct, and those
- 8 monies --
- 9 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: -- that we're not
- 10 spending because we don't have positions that are filled.
- 11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: In operating expenses?
- 12 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yes.
- 13 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: There may be a little
- 14 bit. It's not significant.
- Do you know, Bert, if any -- excuse me. This is
- 16 Bert Wenzel, who is a budget analyst within the
- 17 Administration and Finance Division.
- 18 Are you aware of any monies in operating expenses
- 19 that have not --
- 20 BUDGET ANALYST BERT WENZEL: I am not.
- 21 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Like I said, we've taken
- 22 a very hard look at this. We can take another look before
- 23 the Board meeting and be able to advise you.
- 24 But we are accounting for the consulting and
- 25 professional services, the salary savings, and most of the

- 1 operating expenses. And they're very well spent.
- 2 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Technically -- I
- 3 understand what you told me about the salary issue.
- 4 Technically, could you do what I suggested in terms of
- 5 backfilling the reserve if you used, you know, unspent
- 6 travel and other overhead-type items?
- 7 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Possibly that's -- you
- 8 know, that is a possibility. We'd have to take a look to
- 9 see what is available.
- 10 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. So what I'm
- 11 getting to with this is if -- at the end of the day next
- 12 week if we come up with more that we'd like to spend money
- 13 on than the \$2,026,000, I think it was, there may be some
- 14 possibility of some other source to cover that.
- 15 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Okay. We can take a
- 16 look at that and bring that back for you.
- 17 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. Thank you.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: We would have to do that for
- 19 the -- at this point, the June meeting?
- 20 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Oh, no. We'll bring it
- 21 forward before the Board meeting next week.
- 22 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Thank you.
- 23 Now, the \$1 million, is that considered a prudent
- 24 reserve? How is the amount arrived at?
- 25 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:

1 That's specified in the statute, which is why

- 2 it's such an unusual fund mechanism. It's not something
- 3 this Board chose to do. The statute said that we will put
- 4 aside \$1 million each fiscal year for emergency reserve to
- 5 respond to fires or other such emergencies as they arose.
- 6 So in our discussions with, you know, the admin staff, the
- 7 feeling was that you would not know if such an emergency
- 8 might arise, you know, up until the end of the year. And
- 9 we would not have time to use those funds. So we were
- 10 leaving them untouched given that it's a statutory
- 11 direction.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Thank you.
- I have one more question. And, that is, in
- 14 regard to the materials that we have in the Board packet
- 15 and what was just handed out, now we have all the
- 16 materials and information that we need for the purposes of
- 17 today's meeting?
- 18 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 19 One table that you were handed out is an actual
- 20 revision of a table that's in your packet. It just shows
- 21 in red a little change. The other table I was just
- 22 providing because we'd had questions on what we had
- 23 actually accomplished in the program this year, and ${\tt I}$
- 24 wanted to give a more detailed description. So that's
- 25 just sort of an FYI to help you understand what was

- 1 accomplished.
- 2 The Table 1 in the packet is where we actually do
- 3 the accounting for how many dollars are remaining. And
- 4 that's where we came to the \$2,029,524 available for
- 5 reallocation.
- 6 So if there are no more questions on what's
- 7 available, we could look at the staff recommendation of
- 8 how to reallocate it. And we have on the computer screen
- 9 a table we'd prepared to take any kinds of recommendations
- 10 from either of the Markets Committee or the Admin
- 11 Committee before we go to the Board meeting.
- 12 The Market Committee felt it would be best to
- 13 wait until the Board meeting to actually make any funding
- 14 recommendations. So you'll see that column listed as "no
- 15 action". We did have a discussion of the Committee, but
- 16 they didn't want to actually make any recommendations.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Before we proceed on
- 18 to those -- I know I have a couple of additional
- 19 questions, and Board Member Paparian may have some as
- 20 well.
- 21 The questions that I had are, what are the
- 22 available mechanisms for spending the reallocation monies,
- 23 for example, existing contracts, interagency agreements,
- 24 augmentation of grants programs? Are there other means of
- 25 encumbering these funds?

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- 2 Well, the items in the list, the revised Table 2
- 3 that we just handed out, those are recommendations the
- 4 staff is making based on previous Board direction and
- 5 action. For example, the RMDZ loan, where we show a
- 6 revised amount of \$318,750, is based on the Board's
- 7 approval of three loans to tire-related activities that
- 8 totaled \$2,318,750. So we are trying to follow up the
- 9 Board's approval by making that fund whole and adding
- 10 \$318,750.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And I understand that. But
- 12 my question has to do with is whether there are available
- 13 mechanisms.
- 14 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- These are the ones that we have had Board
- 16 direction on in the past. I am not aware of any other --
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: So there might be others,
- 18 but we have not had Board direction on them, is that what
- 19 you're saying?
- 20 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 21 Correct. There's been no action. For instance,
- 22 we will be bringing -- well, there's two items coming to
- 23 the Board next week that have a funding recommendation
- 24 associated with them. And there's going to be one in
- 25 June. That does not show up here because we have no way

- 1 of knowing if there may be funds left in that.
- 2 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And are there any other
- 3 current ongoing programs that can be funded through these
- 4 reallocation funds other than the ones that are reflected
- 5 here?
- 6 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 7 My vacation plans.
- 8 I'm not aware of any others.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Board Member Paparian, do
- 10 you have any --
- 11 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Just to follow up on
- 12 that. I mean the mechanisms we have available in the time
- 13 that we have available are basically interagency
- 14 agreements --
- 15 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: That's correct.
- 16 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: -- maybe a C-MAS, if
- 17 somebody was available on C-MAS to do that work, although
- 18 we're getting a little bit tight on time there.
- 19 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Correct. A sole source,
- 20 which actually -- it's cutting it tight, but it might be
- 21 able to be done. Obviously, we've got one that Becky was
- 22 talking about that will be moving forward.
- 23 So sole source, MSA, C-MAS, interagency
- 24 agreements, and then augmenting current grant programs.
- 25 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:

1 Which is what -- yeah, what is on the list right

- 2 now, these are ones that are in existence and can be
- 3 pretty easily encumbered. The only new one really is the
- 4 California District Attorney Association item. And that
- 5 is actually one that's been under discussion for several
- 6 months in trying to negotiate a mutually agreed-upon list
- 7 of terms and conditions.
- 8 So if we were to try to undertake the development
- 9 of a new interagency agreement between now and June, it
- 10 would definitely need the full cooperation of the other
- 11 entity to come to that agreement. They need to get out of
- 12 it something of use to them also.
- 13 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Right. So
- 14 technically we -- you know, presuming it's consistent with
- 15 the 5-year tire plan, we could have additional items on
- 16 here, but they would likely need to be either interagency
- 17 agreements, sole source or C-MAS related?
- 18 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: That's correct. The
- 19 only timing difficulty is -- if it's something new,
- 20 then -- and it's not on the current agenda for the May
- 21 Board meeting, then obviously we'd have to come to the
- $22\,\,$ June Board meeting. And the only difficulty I could see
- 23 in that is timing with regards to having staff put
- 24 together a scope of work, the actual award item, and
- 25 getting it on the agenda timely for it to be done.

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1 And, again, it's a timing mechanism. It's also
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- 2 year-end closing time, so it's extremely difficult. But I
- 3 know that you understand that.
- 4 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. Thank you.
- 5 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. As we proceed through
- 6 these categories, we have a total of two thousand
- 7 twenty-nine five twenty-four available.
- 8 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 9 Two million. But, yes.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: \$2,029,524 available. We
- 11 have in requests \$2,011,819. Leaving a balance of
- 12 \$177,000. Can you give me a balance -- a running balance
- 13 on that?
- 14 If we allocate all of those monies --
- 15 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 16 Yeah, It'll be a little over seventeen thousand.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes. Seventeen thousand
- 18 seven zero five?
- 19 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 20 Yes.
- 21 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. So let's run through
- 22 the -- Table 2, that's what we're working with?
- 23 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 24 Okay. The first item is a bit of a question mark
- 25 right now. We'll be having more of a discussion at the

- 1 Board.
- 2 Members of the Special Waste Market Development
- 3 Committee felt that we were not prepared -- they were not
- 4 prepared to act on the recommended scope of work. So they
- 5 took no action there. We will be discussing this at the
- 6 Board meeting as to whether or not the Board wishes to
- 7 bring it back in June to have a more complete
- 8 understanding of that scope.
- 9 So, at this time, we do not have an approved
- 10 scope and they did not take an action on that one.
- It is -- if you'd like to have a brief
- 12 discussion, I could describe the intent.
- 13 The California District Attorney Association
- 14 provides an environmental circuit prosecutor to assist
- 15 local governments in prosecuting environmental crimes.
- 16 They have had funding from different sources in the past,
- 17 but had funding cut this last year.
- 18 We feel that this is a good way to supplement our
- 19 legal staff and assist the Tire Enforcement Program. And
- 20 particularly it supports the local government enforcement
- 21 grants. So we thought that this was a worthwhile activity
- 22 to fund.
- 23 If it is the Board's pleasure, it could be
- 24 considered next year. But we thought as there were monies
- 25 available, we might as well bring it forward at this time.

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1 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: One clarification on
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- 2 this one, the 318,000, would the anticipation be that that
- 3 would be all for work in the next fiscal year, or would
- 4 the work go beyond the next fiscal year?
- 5 At this point, we have a 2-year timeframe to that
- 6 contract for that funding.
- 7 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. So if we went
- 8 forward $\operatorname{\mathsf{--}}$ if we decided to go forward with this, the
- 9 potential would be there to partially fund out of this
- 10 fiscal year's tire program and then come back and fund
- 11 again out of the next fiscal year?
- 12 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 13 That could be done.
- 14 It might depend on the commitment, you know, of
- 15 the CDAA. And we didn't have anyone here today. We had
- 16 someone at the Markets Committee. It might depend if they
- 17 felt -- I mean, we could probably enter into a scope of
- 18 work an agreement that had a 2-year timeframe with a
- 19 commitment to find the additional funds and bring it up to
- 20 a fully-funded level. I think that might be a
- 21 reassurement -- reassurance to CDAA, because I know we've
- 22 done other such contracts from two fiscal years.
- 23 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yeah, I think we've
- 24 even done it out of the tire fund this year.
- 25 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: But as of this moment,

- 1 you're not inclined to move this forward?
- 2 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 3 I am. I think it's -- you know, this is the
- 4 staff recommendation up there, to put the money into that
- 5 interagency agreement. The Markets Committee was not
- 6 happy with the information they had available on the scope
- 7 of work. We are trying to put together some additional
- 8 information. I believe the legal office is putting
- 9 together a memo. I'm not quite sure if that's available
- 10 yet for the Board members.
- 11 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LEARY: Mark Leary with the
- 12 Waste Board.
- 13 Yes, that memo is following up on some of the
- 14 questions that arose in the Special Waste and Markets
- 15 Committee meeting. I followed up with a memo that the
- 16 Board members were CC'd on, providing -- hoping to provide
- 17 the additional information I was looking for. It was that
- 18 committee's wish, however, that this item, which is
- 19 ultimately Agenda Item 18, be continued till June, as we
- 20 discussed this morning in the workshop.
- 21 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: So --
- 22 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LEARY: So one option might be
- 23 that this committee, and subsequently the Board next week,
- 24 could hold that money -- set it aside basically awaiting
- 25 the Board's consideration of that issue in June. And then

1 if the Board were to view that agenda item favorably, we

- 2 would then be under the crunch to pull together and
- 3 unencumber the money before the end of the fiscal year.
- 4 That's one possible way this thing could play out.
- 5 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Well, let's move
- 6 forward on this.
- 7 Board Member Paparian, do you have a preference
- 8 on this particular item?
- 9 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: No -- I mean, I
- 10 think -- you know, at the end of the day today I think we
- 11 should have listed out at least all the various options
- 12 there are for Board consideration. And I think in terms
- 13 of this specific one, you know, one of the options would
- 14 be to split -- if we went forward, to split the funding
- 15 between this fiscal year and next fiscal year if we had
- 16 other worthy proposals out there for funding. And I know
- 17 I have one that I'm planning to bring up at the
- 18 appropriate time later today.
- 19 But, again, if we decided to go forward with
- 20 this, I could see, you know, something like 150,000 in
- 21 this fiscal year and then the balance in the following
- 22 fiscal year, something like that.
- 23 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- Okay. Well, then moving on to the next item. I
- 25 had used that sort of as an example earlier that this is

- 1 to make whole the loan programs' actions with tire
- 2 facilities and to carry out the Board direction to do so.
- 3 And that amount would be the \$318,750.
- 4 If there's no questions, then going on. The
- 5 track and other recreational --
- 6 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: I'm sorry. Let me
- 7 ask one question about the RMDZ. And this I think is
- 8 something that I suggested at a previous Board meeting,
- 9 and I'm glad to see it here. If -- how do I ask this?
- 10 If we didn't spend the whole 318,000 this year,
- 11 can we come back in the next fiscal year to make the RMDZ
- 12 program more whole? Or am I -- no, we'd have to do it
- 13 this fiscal year?
- 14 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: It has to be specific to
- 15 the loans that have been incurred that were tire related.
- 16 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. And those were
- 17 in this fiscal year. So we'd have to come out of this
- 18 fiscal year's tire program. Got it. Thank you.
- 19 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Correct.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: And we have enough loan
- 21 requests in place to use up the amount requested?
- 22 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- Yeah, the total amount was the \$2,318,000. So
- 24 we're just adding to the \$2 million allocation to make it
- 25 whole.

1 There will be another \$2 million available next

- 2 year. In fact, I think we start to increase it. I could
- 3 look that up.
- 4 But we are planning, you know, an allocation of
- 5 tire dollars to the zone loan program each year.
- 6 Okay. Going on to the next item, the track and
- 7 other recreational surfaces.
- 8 This was a program where the Board approved the
- 9 ranking for the tire -- the track grants. And the total
- 10 funding requested was more than was available for those
- 11 passing grants. So the \$994,409 would fully fund all
- 12 passing applications for the Track and Recreational
- 13 Surfaces Grant program. And, once again, that was a Board
- 14 direction, to try to do this.
- The same holds true for the Product
- 16 Commercialization Grants. We were able to fund, I think,
- 17 seven out of the eight and -- no, eight, I guess it was --
- 18 eight out of the nine. And there's one remaining that
- 19 passed. So to fully fund that program, we'd need an
- 20 additional 250,000.
- 21 The same -- the Park Playground and Accessibility
- 22 Grant, this is a little bit different. This is the
- 23 Park-Bond-Funded Grant Program. However, some of the
- 24 grant applications were requesting monies to put tire mats
- 25 in place. And because the total funding requested by

- 1 passing grant applications was greater than the money
- 2 allocated, the Board directed that we look to see if we
- 3 could fund any of those tire mats through the tire fund,
- 4 thereby freeing up park bond dollars for a couple of the
- 5 other passing applications. And this \$75,660 represents
- 6 funding for those tire activities within the Park Bond
- 7 Playground Grant program. And I believe that was a
- 8 suggestion by Board Member Jones, if I remember.
- 9 Okay. The next item, the Green Building Program
- 10 Emissions Testing, is a request from the Market
- 11 Development Division staff. They are entering into a
- 12 contract to test various recycled content materials to see
- 13 if they do meet certain standards. And they would like to
- 14 include tire materials such as, you know, carpet squares
- 15 that have rubber backing from tires. And they're asking
- 16 for an additional \$30,000 for that testing activity. When
- 17 the Board heard that scope of work, they expressed
- 18 interest in doing so. So we are bringing it forward now
- 19 for that \$30,000 reallocation.
- 20 The last item is the Grant Writing Workshop that
- 21 the Administration Division is bringing forward in a scope
- 22 of work. This would provide \$18,000 directly to the
- 23 contract and \$7,000, I believe, for some printing support
- 24 activities.
- 25 And that total comes to \$2,011,819.

1 And as Chairman Medina pointed out, there's about

- 2 \$17,000 not earmarked at this time, plus any changes that
- 3 you may wish to make at the Board.
- 4 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Very good.
- 5 I understand that there were two additional
- 6 requests. I know that we have one speaker's slip. And
- 7 before I get to that, I had heard from Chair
- 8 Moulton-Patterson there was a request from Secretary
- 9 Eileen Adams in regard to some RAC monies. But I have not
- 10 seen the letter from Eileen, that is, I have not seen the
- 11 specific request for those monies.
- 12 Does anyone have a copy of that correspondence?
- 13 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 14 The Executive Director mentioned it this morning,
- 15 and we'll certainly look at it in the week between now and
- 16 the Board meeting.
- 17 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yeah, I think the
- 18 speaker may be speaking to this point -- the speaker's
- 19 slips you have.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: No, that's another -- oh,
- 21 yeah. The East-End project?
- 22 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yeah. Maybe we
- 23 should hear from them.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes, and I have another
- 25 correspondence also. So let's take this one first.

1 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:

- 2 In my very brief look at the proposal --
- 3 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Well, we have Arnie Sowell.
- 4 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 5 Oh, you want to take the speaker first?
- 6 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes.
- 7 And then we have another one from San Francisco
- 8 Environment.
- 9 We'll take Arnie first.
- 10 MR. SOWELL: Board Member Medina, Board Member
- 11 Paparian, Arnie Sowell with the State Consumer Services
- 12 Agency.
- 13 It's interesting that I find myself on this side
- 14 of the microphone. I generally am up there or
- 15 traditionally had been up there helping you to make
- 16 funding recommendations and funding decisions. And I'm
- 17 here today actually asking you to consider a funding
- 18 request from the State Consumer Services Agency in
- 19 conjunction with the Department of General Services
- 20 regarding the Easte-End Project.
- 21 As you are well aware, Governor Davis has issued
- 22 a couple of executive orders around sustainable building,
- 23 and particularly Executive Order D16 and Executive Order
- 24 D46, both dealing with that specific topic.
- One of the first projects that we, as a

- 1 sustainable building task force, dealt with was the
- 2 Easte-End Project. And through a number of meetings, a
- 3 number of fits and starts and some very emotionally
- 4 charged meetings, we were able to incorporate a variety of
- 5 sustainable building features into the Easte-End Project.
- 6 I have with me today Mike Merideth and Jim Ogden,
- 7 who are both project directors over there at the Easte-End
- 8 complex. And they will speak specifically to our request
- 9 here today.
- 10 But I did want to spend just a couple of seconds
- 11 telling you some of the things that we've been able to
- 12 accomplish out at the Easte-End.
- 13 We're 30 percent better than Title 24 in terms of
- 14 energy efficiency. We have photovoltaics on one of the
- 15 buildings.
- 16 Block 225, which is the building where the
- 17 education -- Department of Education will move into or one
- 18 of the buildings that they'll move into probably late in
- 19 June, is available for you guys to tour any time you'd
- 20 like.
- 21 But, you know, sensors in -- room-occupancy
- 22 sensors; recycled-content carpet; the modular furniture
- 23 specifics that we worked with your staff to develop, which
- 24 are considered some of the greenest modular furniture
- 25 specifications in the world. There's indoor air quality

1 testing that's going on. There are a variety of different

- 2 recycled-content materials that have been incorporated
- 3 into all the structures that are there. They have
- 4 achieved a 97-percent waste diversion rate in terms of
- 5 construction and demolition debris.
- 6 And I just can't say enough about the work of the
- 7 folks out at the Easte-End regarding this particular
- 8 project as well as the work of the green team and the
- 9 Waste Board staff in pushing to ensure the fact that
- 10 sustainable building measures were incorporated into that
- 11 project.
- 12 What we've come to discuss with you today is that
- 13 as a result of some of that urging and some of that
- 14 pushing, we think that we've found three separate issues
- 15 that would qualify for tire funding in relationship to
- 16 this project.
- One, would be to increase the amount of
- 18 rubberized asphalt concrete that's being used on the road
- 19 surfacing around there.
- 20 Two, would be that there is a day-care center, a
- 21 playground that is there that was originally spec for
- 22 mulch that we think we can use rubberized surfacing for.
- 23 And, thirdly, there is definitely the opportunity
- 24 to use a variety of tire-derived mat products in a number
- 25 of the different interest ways as well as in a number of

1 the different activity rooms and those sorts of things

- 2 that are there at the Easte-End complex.
- 3 But if you just give Mike and Jim just a couple
- 4 of seconds where they can actually explain the diagram
- 5 that you've seen, because I think there's a real
- 6 opportunity for some showcase -- a showcase for rubberized
- 7 asphalt concrete.
- 8 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Thank you.
- 9 If you could make it brief.
- 10 MR. MERIDETH: Good afternoon. I'm Mike Merideth
- 11 with General Services. I'm the project director for the
- 12 Easte-End Project. And I'll be more than happy to be
- 13 brief.
- 14 I believe Arnie has passed this diagram up to
- 15 you. The cross-hatched areas represent the roads around
- 16 the project site. There's five city blocks basically that
- 17 we're covering.
- 18 The yellow represents the roadway, which is
- 19 Capital Avenue between 15th and 17th Street. That was
- 20 kind of inclusive within the project boundaries. And what
- 21 we're presenting here is -- that was in the original
- 22 scope. And today what Arnie had alluded to was looking
- 23 for these additional opportunities, and that equates to
- 24 about 318,000 square feet. And we believe that to be
- 25 about \$220,000.

1 We've reached that conclusion through the help of

- 2 the Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Technology Center and, in
- 3 particular, Theron Roshin over there at their help center.
- 4 Actually, that I think is really the scope and
- 5 hopefully identifies specifically what we're talking
- 6 about. And I'd be glad to answer any other questions If
- 7 you have those.
- 8 But that's pretty much what I had to say.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Thank you.
- 10 MR. SOWELL: I'm not sure if you're interested in
- 11 what we're talking about in relationship to the playground
- 12 surfacing as well as in some of the additional
- 13 tire-derived products. But in total we're asking for
- 14 about \$250,000 -- \$220,000 for the rubberized asphalt
- 15 concrete, about \$10,000 in terms of some of the additional
- 16 tire-derived products, and then the remainder --
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. If you could hold
- 18 just a second, just run that down one by one, please.
- MR. SOWELL: Sure. About \$220,000 for the
- 20 additional rubberized asphalt concrete at the site;
- 21 \$10,000 for additional tire-derived products in terms of
- 22 matting materials and those sorts of things; and then
- 23 about \$20,000 for the playground surfacing.
- 24 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Would it be possible
- 25 to get those added into this matrix here so we could see

1 it in comparison to the others? Is someone able to type?

- 2 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Thank you for your
- 3 presentation. It's good to see you again. And it looks
- 4 like a wonderful project.
- 5 MR. SOWELL: Thank you. And on behalf of
- 6 Secretary Adams, thank you very much.
- 7 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 8 Excuse me. I do have a question of Arnie.
- 9 Obviously, the Board can develop this as a
- 10 special project if they wish to find the funding for it.
- 11 But I do have a couple of questions. Your playground is
- 12 not open to the public, correct? This is only for people
- 13 using the facility?
- 14 MR. SOWELL: There is a day-care center there,
- 15 and it would primarily be for the day-care center. But
- 16 the Easte-End complex is going to be a complex where there
- 17 are going to be a variety of community activities. So
- 18 there are going to be community meetings and those sorts
- 19 of things. And, at that particular point in time, that
- 20 day-care center would be open to the public.
- 21 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- 22 I bring this up -- the grant program is directed
- 23 at public facilities only. Now, you know, as a special
- 24 project the Board can make some other conditions. I'm not
- 25 saying we can't fund it, but I just wanted to understand

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1 whether this would be a publicly available facility.
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- 2 The other point -- and I don't know if Arnie's
- 3 involvement goes far enough back. I have a very long
- 4 memory. Back I think in the '97-'98 fiscal year this
- 5 Board made an award to the Department of General Services
- 6 of \$198,000, paid in advance, to make a parking lot at the
- 7 Department of Justice facility out on Broadway. As I
- 8 understand it, that project was only completed last Fall.
- 9 At the time that we entered into the agreement
- 10 with DGS, they committed to doing at least four additional
- 11 projects with their own money as a way of, you know,
- 12 making up for the grant that we gave them. I am not aware
- 13 of any such projects having been funded by DGS. I was
- 14 wondering if Arnie had heard of any such paving projects
- 15 to fulfill that commitment by DGS?
- MR. SOWELL: Martha, at this particular point in
- 17 time, to answer that question, I can't answer that
- 18 question directly, but I would be happy to look into that
- 19 further. What I can tell you is that in every project
- 20 that's been coming before the Sustainable Building Task
- 21 Force, we're looking for every opportunity that we
- 22 possibly can for all sorts of recycled-content materials,
- 23 the use of rubberized asphalt concrete, et cetera.
- 24 And so I can tell you that there have been other
- 25 projects that have been done. Whether that they've been

1 done using, I guess, the original scope that may have been

- 2 developed back in '97-'98, I can't speak to that.
- 3 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Here's what I want to
- 4 recommend. And that's that we go ahead and approve those
- 5 that we have consensus on, the RMDZ loan, track and other
- 6 recreational surfaces, product commercialization grants,
- 7 park playground and accessibility grants, green building
- 8 program emissions, grant writing workshop; and then add
- 9 Easte-End Project in the amount of 250; San Francisco
- 10 environment in the amount of 25, which we have a request
- 11 for. The California District Attorney for 318 has three
- 12 options. The Board has requested to see all the items of
- 13 our committee, so we will let the full Board work it out
- 14 among those three requests.
- 15 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Mr. Chairman, I
- 16 actually do have one additional request.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Add it on and we will take
- 18 that for Board consideration.
- 19 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: And that's the
- 20 feasibility study of establishment of a California tire
- 21 research center at a California academic institution, of
- 22 up to \$30,000. I do have a written proposal related to
- 23 this. And it is consistent with the 5-year tire plan.
- 24 It's a project which was not pursued this year because of
- 25 the staffing difficulties, but one which was called out

1 specifically in the 5-year tire plan and one which we also

- 2 had a good discussion of -- gosh, it was at the Glendale
- 3 board meeting when we adopted the 5-year tire plan, we
- 4 actually had a good discussion of this proposal as well.
- 5 The original anticipation was that the staff
- 6 would be able to pursue this on their own. But, again,
- 7 because of the understandable staffing difficulties, they
- 8 haven't been able to pursue it. So I am suggesting the
- 9 possibility of an interagency agreement to begin looking
- 10 at the feasibility of this. So that would be -- I mean,
- 11 you could title it "California Tire Research Center,"
- 12 \$30,000.
- 13 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Very good. Let's do this:
- 14 Let's end that one, along with San Francisco enviro, if
- 15 you have no objections with Board recommendation and those
- 16 other items, and then just leave the California District
- 17 Attorney Association and the Easte-End Project open for
- 18 the Board members. And then if you could give us a total
- 19 of those at this time.
- So, again, we want the total on the RMDZ loan,
- 21 track, product commercialization, park playground, green
- 22 building program, grant writing workshop, San Francisco
- 23 enviro, and the project that Mr. Paparian just presented.
- 24 And give us a total on those.
- 25 And then the remainder we will bring up to the

1 Board members as to their preference on the other two

- 2 items.
- 3 Mr. Paparian, any -- is that fine with you?
- 4 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: I'm sorry, where --
- 5 Easte-End just dropped out there?
- 6 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yeah, Easte-End Project and
- 7 the California District Attorney Association we'll take up
- 8 before the full board meeting in terms of how they want to
- 9 reallocate the balance remaining between those two.
- 10 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: But as of now we are moving
- 12 forward with \$318,750 RMDZ loan; \$994,409 for track and
- 13 other recreational surfaces; \$250,000 for the product
- 14 commercialization grants; \$75,660 for the park playground
- 15 and accessibility grants; \$30,000 for the green building
- 16 program emissions testing; \$25,000 for the grant writing
- 17 workshop; and \$25,000 for San Francisco environmental; and
- 18 the \$30,000 for the California Tire Research Center.
- 19 SUPERVISING WASTE MANAGEMENT ENGINEER GILDART:
- Does that reflect the wishes of the Committee,
- 21 that column, now?
- 22 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Yes.
- 23 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Yeah, I'm fine with
- 24 moving this forward to the Board in this way. I think
- 25 that the Easte-End project is so -- I think some of our

- 1 friends from there are still here. No, they're not.
- 2 Anyway, I think there's quite a bit of worthiness there.
- 3 And I want to, you know, consider as we go forward to the
- 4 Board meeting how we might come up with that money. And I
- 5 think some of the creative ways we talked about today of
- 6 coming up with additional funds may help move that along.
- 7 And, at the same time, perhaps we can figure out
- 8 a way to move forward with the California District
- 9 Attorney Association for one fiscal year's worth of
- 10 funding, with the anticipation that more would come in the
- 11 following fiscal year.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Certainly both of those
- 13 projects are worthy of consideration. And I'm sure the
- 14 full Board would give it their undivided attention next
- 15 week.
- 16 And would you like to move the resolution at this
- 17 time, Board Member Paparian?
- 18 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: I'll so move.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Okay. Resolution 2002-213,
- 20 concepts to be funded from the reallocation of unused
- 21 Fiscal Year 2001-2002 Waste Tire Management Program funds,
- 22 has been moved and seconded.
- 23 And we'll substitute the previous roll call.
- 24 Thank you.
- With that, we'll move on to Item C.

1 DEPUTY DIRECTOR JORDAN: Terry Jordan again with

- 2 the Administration and Finance Division.
- 3 Item C will be presented by Roger Ikemoto of the
- 4 Grants Administration Unit in the Administration and
- 5 Finance Division.
- 6 And he will also present Item D, Item C being
- 7 equivalent to Board Item Number 30 and D being equivalent
- 8 to Board Item Number 31.
- 9 These two items are interrelated with regards to
- 10 one being a scope of work and one being a recommendation
- 11 for contractor through an interagency agreement with
- 12 Sacramento State university.
- 13 MR. IKEMOTO: Good afternoon, Chair and Board
- 14 Members.
- 15 For the record, I am Roger Ikemoto, Supervisor of
- 16 the Grants Administration and Audits Unit in the
- 17 Administration and Finance Division.
- 18 I am here today to present Agenda Items C and D.
- 19 They are Items Number 30 and 31 on the May full board
- 20 agenda.
- 21 Item C, consideration of scope of work for the
- 22 grant writing workshop and outreach contracts.
- The purpose of this item is to approve the scope
- 24 of work for the grant writing workshop and outreach
- 25 contracts that will provide outreach and training

1 workshops for potential applicants to understand the

- 2 expected responses to our grant applications.
- 3 Their are five working tasks. Basically, the
- 4 first one is curriculum. The Grants Administration Unit
- 5 and program staff will work with the contractor to design
- 6 and customize curriculum for the workshop. There also
- 7 will be a train -- the trainer component, which the
- 8 contractor will instruct board staff so we can use that
- 9 knowledge for everyday business to help applicants with --
- 10 complete the application.
- 11 The second task is workshop and outreach venues.
- 12 The Grants and Administration Unit and program staff will
- 13 work with the contractor to finalize workshop locations.
- 14 And they'll also help the -- we'll also help the
- 15 contractor to develop a workplan, handle logistics, and
- 16 coordinate each workshop. The contractor will do the
- 17 majority of the work, but we'll help assist him when we
- 18 can.
- 19 The third task is the workshop itself. There
- 20 will be up to six workshops throughout California. And
- 21 we'll try to schedule these at board venues. For example,
- 22 there is the tire conference, the HHW Conference, RMDZ
- 23 conference, the oil forum, and the recycling -- recycled
- 24 products trade show. We'll try to use those venues.
- The recommended locations are Redding or

- 1 Mendocino, Sacramento, Fresno, Los Angeles, maybe two
- 2 sites, and then maybe San Diego. Those will be dependent
- 3 upon where the venues of Board-sponsored events are being
- 4 held.
- 5 The fourth task actually is the outreach. We'll
- 6 do some advertising of the workshops, with the
- 7 distribution of literature of the Board programs. And
- 8 those are the grants brochure and any fact sheets that we
- 9 might have here. We can distribute these at the
- 10 workshops.
- 11 At the workshop we can have introductions, kind
- 12 of a brief presentation as an introduction to the
- 13 workshop, describing some of the programs that we
- 14 currently have here at the Board. And also one of the
- 15 things we'll have available is the literature to be handed
- 16 out by Board staff at Board-sponsored events and
- 17 nonsponsored events that we participate in.
- 18 There will be the fifth task, would be reporting
- 19 requirement. After each workshop, we'd have the
- 20 contractor provide an interim report listing all the
- 21 attendees and evaluate the evaluation data that's
- 22 collected from each of these workshops.
- 23 The final report will be a list of all locations
- 24 that the workshops were held, the number of people that
- 25 were attending, who they were and who they represented.

1 Along with that will be an evaluation of the

- 2 workshop agreement. That will be done by the contractor,
- 3 and a summary of the workshop evaluations from all of the
- 4 workshops.
- 5 The fiscal impact is \$50,000. The funding source
- 6 is from three sources:
- 7 \$17,000 from the Integrated Waste Management
- 8 Account, which was approved by the Board in the
- 9 reallocation item at April 2002 meeting.
- 10 The \$18,000 will come from the tire recycling
- 11 management account, and that's going to be heard at this
- 12 Board meeting in May.
- There's going to be \$15,000 from the used-oil
- 14 fund. Requesting the balance of the \$15,000 from the
- 15 used-oil fund will be approved today -- we're asking for
- 16 approval today due to the timing and the need for the
- 17 immediacy of the contract. In Fiscal Year 2002-2003 the
- 18 used-oil fund allocation item is proposed to be presented
- 19 for Board consideration in the Summer of 2002.
- 20 At this time, staff recommends that the Board
- 21 approve the scope of work for the grant writing workshop
- 22 and outreach contract as presented and adopt Resolution
- 23 Number 2002-265.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Thank you, Mr. Ikemoto. As
- 25 you can tell from previous Board meetings, that our Board

1 members see a great need and are very supportive of this.

- 2 So thank you for your presentation today.
- 3 MR. IKEMOTO: Thank you.
- 4 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Mr. Paparian.
- 5 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Mr. Chairman, I'll
- 6 move Resolution 2002-265 for positive consideration and to
- 7 be placed on consent.
- 8 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Thank you.
- 9 Second.
- 10 And substitute the previous roll call.
- 11 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: And then on
- 12 Resolution 2002-266 -- is this appropriate for consent?
- 13 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LEARY: Abbreviated fiscal
- 14 consent.
- 15 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Fiscal consent.
- 16 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR LEARY: It will be presented
- 17 at the Board in an abbreviated fashion for a Board vote
- 18 because it is a fiscal matter.
- 19 COMMITTEE MEMBER PAPARIAN: Okay. I'd move
- 20 positive consideration with forwarding to the Board in
- 21 that manner.
- 22 CHAIRPERSON MEDINA: Very good.
- 23 I second it.
- 24 And Resolution 2002-266 has been moved and
- 25 seconded.

1	And substitute the previous roll call for that.
2	Any public comment?
3	If not, this meeting is adjourned.
4	(Thereupon the California Integrated
5	Waste Management Board, Budget and
6	Administration Committee meeting
7	adjourned at 2:45 p.m.)
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